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Connecticut State Police Statewide Narcotics Task Force Make Drug Seizure

On 9-14-04 at approximately 1:00 am, the Connecticut State Police, Statewide Narcotic Task Force (SNTF) developed information that a Tractor Trailer Unit would be traveling through the state, which possibly contained narcotics. Subsequently, the Tractor Trailer was stopped on Interstate 95, in the town of Branford, by Connecticut State Troopers. The cab of the vehicle was searched under consent of the operator. Approximately 6 kilograms of what is believed to be cocaine was seized. The approximate street value of this seizure is \$200,000.00 per Kilogram. There were two individuals taken into custody and transported to Troop G, in Bridgeport, where they are being charged and processed.

At this time, Detectives are attempting to be establish the identities of these two Hispanic males, who are not from this state. They will be arraigned at GA 6, in New Haven, tomorrow.

CHARGES:

Possession of Cocaine With Intent to Sell

Possession With Intent to Sell over One Kilogram of Cocaine

Possession of Narcotics within 1500 feet of a School

A detailed news released with confirmed identities will follow.

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